

**EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF
GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS
ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR
PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)**

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the full-text publication of all Executive Orders and Proclamations of General Applicability issued by the Governor. In addition, the *Register* shall include each statement filed by the Governor in granting a commutation, pardon or reprieve, or stay or suspension of execution where a sentence of death is imposed.

**EXECUTIVE ORDER 2001-03
ENERGY EFFICIENCY IN SCHOOLS**

WHEREAS, the citizens of Arizona will be best served by conserving the state's precious energy resources to ensure the state's capability to provide services and protect the health, welfare and safety of the state's residents; and

WHEREAS, Students FIRST legislation provides for state funding of all new schools to ensure the construction of safe, sound and educationally effective facilities for all students and the faculties that serve them; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the state's taxpayers to reduce the cost of energy consumption in the state's public school districts wherever and whenever practicable; and

WHEREAS, it is beneficial to our schools to invest in energy efficient systems which will reduce utility costs and increase the funds available for resources in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, after consultation with the School Facilities Board and its Executive Director, I have determined that the School Facilities Board can effectively employ energy management methods in our schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jane Dee Hull, do hereby order that from this date forward all public schools in the State of Arizona shall be designed and constructed in a manner to reduce energy consumption and create more energy efficient facilities without adversely affecting the quality of school design and construction by providing necessary funds to schools in accordance with School Facilities Board policies and guidelines and this order.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull
Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this Third Day of March Two Thousand One and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth.

ATTEST:

Betsey Bayless
Secretary of State

**EXECUTIVE ORDER 2001-04
GOVERNOR'S TASK FORCE ON EFFICIENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY IN K-12 EDUCATION**

WHEREAS, the voters of Arizona have approved the "Education 2000" proposal as it appeared on the 2000 general election ballot as Proposition 301; and

WHEREAS, this proposition enacted a six-tenths of one percent education sales tax to be used to enhance public education funding for Kindergarten through 12th grade, community colleges, and state universities; and

WHEREAS, the new education sales tax monies must be accounted for and tracked separately from all other state aid to public schools; and

WHEREAS, all of the monies raised must be used in the classroom, and none may be used for administrative expenses; and

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WHEREAS, the program initiated by the State Superintendent for Public Schools, entitled Student Accountability Information System, shall be implemented and funded as part of the Education 2000 proposal; and

WHEREAS, business leaders, the legislature, and the public would like to better understand how public schools are funded and to be able to better track how public education monies are spent; and

WHEREAS, there is concern that the allowance of expenditures that are outside the revenue control limit over the past two decades has created disparities in the per pupil expenditures among districts; and

WHEREAS, there is interest in determining whether school district unification and consolidation can help schools operate more efficiently; be it resolved that:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby establish the Governor's Taskforce on Efficiency and Accountability in K-12 Education consisting of no fewer than fifteen business and civic leaders who shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor. In order to ensure that taxpayer dollars are being used in the most efficient manner in support of K-12 education, the taskforce shall institute a systemic review of all maintenance and operating (M&O) budget issues. Items for review shall include, but are not limited to:

- How schools can direct the maximum amount of federal, state and local funding for public education into the classroom, including a review of administrative costs and overhead and school district budget balance carry-forwards;
- Whether school districts should be unified, consolidated or eliminated to lower administrative costs, and if so, how;
- Whether expenditures that are outside the revenue control limit impact the equality of M&O funding, and if so, recommendations for changes to the current system;
- How schools can establish teacher performance pay plans that take into account individual and collective student achievement.

The task force shall present an initial set of findings and recommendations by December 15, 2001, and shall report on their progress.

This task force shall be reviewed for continuation by December 31, 2002.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull
Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this Fifth Day of March Two Thousand One and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth.

ATTEST:

Betsey Bayless
Secretary of State

EXECUTIVE ORDER 2001-05
Amending Executive Order 98-7
ESTABLISHING A GOVERNOR'S TASK FORCE FOR THE CANAMEX CORRIDOR

WHEREAS, the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) created a preferential trade relationship between Canada, Mexico and the United States; and a key component of its successful implementation is the efficient flow of goods, services, people and information between the participating nations; and

WHEREAS, trade corridors are geographically designated areas that facilitate the national and transnational movement of goods, services, people and information; and

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WHEREAS, the State of Arizona will initially focus on three key components that a viable trade corridor includes, but is not limited to: (1) Transportation: Comprised of a well developed physical infrastructure including rail, ports of entry, inspection facilities and sea linkages; (2) Commerce: Comprised of an established commercial infrastructure and appropriate trade incentives, including distribution and warehousing facilities, foreign trade zones, business development and professional business expertise, coordinated economic development activity, and a harmonized regulatory environment; and (3) Communications: Comprised of a regionally integrated technological infrastructure including information technology and all other modes of communication, and well-developed social, political and business linkages throughout the corridor; and

WHEREAS, the CANAMEX Trade Corridor is a strategic trade corridor located in the western portion of North America linking western Mexico to western Canada through the states of Arizona, Nevada, Utah, Idaho and Montana; and

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona acknowledges that the successful development of the CANAMEX trade corridor would activate and accelerate economic activity throughout the corridor and surrounding areas, and accordingly the State of Arizona is committed to facilitating the development of the CANAMEX Corridor; and

WHEREAS, the ability to provide direct access to multiple markets and regional transportation distribution centers is critical to a trade corridor's success; and

WHEREAS, certain highways in the CANAMEX trade corridor must be improved to promote access between markets, reduce freight transportation costs and enhance the CANAMEX region's competitiveness. Transportation infrastructure improvements critical to the development of the CANAMEX Corridor include, but are not limited to, the construction of a bridge over the Hoover Dam to accommodate large volumes of commercial truck traffic and the expansion of US 93 to a four lane divided highway; and

WHEREAS, under the National Highway System Designation Act, the CANAMEX Corridor was given "high priority designation," and continues to have "high priority designation" in the TEA 21 legislation; and

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona understands that financial and non-financial support from stakeholders located throughout the CANAMEX Corridor is vital in order to complement other federal, state and provincial trade and transportation initiatives,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor by the Arizona Constitution and the laws of the State, do hereby order a Task Force to serve the purpose of coordinating statewide CANAMEX Corridor efforts and coordinating with other applicable states and provinces in the development of the CANAMEX Corridor. This Task Force is to be known as the Governor's CANAMEX Corridor Task Force, under the jurisdiction of the Governor.

- 1). The Task Force shall initially be comprised of twenty-four members to be appointed by the Governor.
 - (a). The Task Force membership will include the Governor, who will serve as chair of the Task Force. If the occasion shall so arise, the Governor may designate another member of the Task Force to chair meetings.
 - (b). The Task Force will include the Governor's Executive Assistants for Transportation, Information Technology and Mexico Policy.
 - (c). The Task force will include the Directors of the Arizona Departments of Public Safety, Transportation and Commerce or their designees.
 - (d). The Task Force will include one member of the Arizona-Mexico Commission, one member of the Arizona Board of Transportation, the Executive Director of the CANAMEX Corridor Coalition, and the Governor's NAFTA Implementor.
 - (e). The Task Force membership will also include eight At-Large members representing the business and academic communities and; the general public.
 - (f). The Governor may appoint additional At-Large members to the Task Force as deemed necessary and appropriate.
 - (g). The Governor may appoint members of the Arizona Legislature and the general public to serve as non-voting, ex-officio representatives to the Task Force.
 - (h). The Task Force shall establish three standing committees: a Steering Committee, a Transportation Committee and a Commerce and Telecommunications Committee to assist with the performance of the duties of the Task Force. Committees shall be comprised of members of the Task Force and additional ad hoc members appointed by the committees as needed.
- 2). Members shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor.
- 3). Members or designees shall not send alternates to represent them at Task Force meetings.
- 4). The Governor may engage other entities to carry out duties and functions of the Task Force.

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- 5). The Task Force shall advise the Governor on all matters of the CANAMEX Corridor development and strategy for the State of Arizona:
- (a). The Task Force will consult and coordinate with all the states and provinces within the CANAMEX Corridor. Those involved states and provinces may include, but are not limited to Nevada, Utah, Idaho, Montana, the Mexican States of Sonora, Sinaloa, Nayarit, Jalisco, Guanajuato, Queretaro, Estado de Mexico and Mexico D.F., and the Canadian Provinces of British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan, with the goal of creating a multi-state/province coalition that will pursue corridor-based objectives at the local, state and federal levels.
 - (b). The Task Force will work with the Arizona Department of Transportation, the Arizona Department of Commerce, the Department of Environmental Quality, the Department of Public Safety and the Arizona Congressional delegation to identify funding sources for infrastructure projects of strategic importance the corridor's development, such as **the integration of regional distribution centers**, the completion of the bridge over the Hoover Dam, ~~and~~ improvements to US 93, **construction of the I-10/I-19 Interchange and the widening of State Route 85 to four lanes between Interstate 10 and Interstate 8.**
 - (c). The Task Force will identify those cooperative opportunities to be undertaken by the Executive branch with the Executive Branches of the other interested states and provinces in the CANAMEX Corridor.
 - (d). The Task Force, in cooperation with the Arizona Legislature, applicable Arizona agencies; representatives of other interested states and provinces within the CANAMEX Corridor, will identify potential inter-regional legislative or policy initiatives that support the development of the CANAMEX Corridor, and will work to support implementation of such initiatives.
 - (e). The Task Force will identify those Corridor-based Arizona initiatives best suited to be undertaken by the business community and other community organizations.
 - (f). The Task Force will prepare for the Governor a comprehensive strategic plan for the development of the CANAMEX trade corridor within Arizona including:
 - (i). An analysis of the opportunities resulting from the development of the CANAMEX Trade Corridor and identification of existing impediments thereto;
 - (ii). A recommendation of initiatives to be pursued by the executive and legislative branches, the private sector, city and county governments and others;
 - (iii). A strategy for the implementation of such initiatives;
 - (iv). Identification of financial and infrastructure needs to meet the objectives established by the Task Force;
 - (v). Any other initiatives or studies that the Governor may request.
 - (g). The Task Force will identify and solicit financial support from the public and private sector throughout the CANAMEX Corridor.
 - (h). The Task Force will prepare for the Governor an annual report of its activities to be submitted no later than December 31 of each year. Copies of the report shall be distributed to the Secretary of State, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Director of Library, Archives & Public Records.
- 6). Plans and decisions made by the Task force are subject to approval by the Governor.
- 7). The Governor's CANAMEX Corridor Task Force shall be reviewed no later than December 31, 2002 to determine appropriate action for its continuance, modification or termination.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull
Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this ~~Thirtieth day of July in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety Eight~~ and of the Independence of the United States of America the ~~Two Hundred and Twenty second~~.

ATTEST:

Betsey Bayless
Secretary of State

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EXECUTIVE ORDER 2001-06
(Supersedes Executive Order 93-19)

ESTABLISHING THE GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON PREVENTION OF FAMILY VIOLENCE

WHEREAS, family violence cuts across all social, economic and ethnic lines; and

WHEREAS, the crime of physical or sexual assault when directed at any person violates his or her privacy, dignity, security rights and humanity; and

WHEREAS, research indicates that one out of three American women will be victims of domestic violence in her lifetime; and

WHEREAS, battering of women in their own homes accounts for more injuries to women requiring medical treatment than rapes, muggings, and car accidents combined; and

WHEREAS, children who witness domestic violence are more likely to grow up to become violent adults; and

WHEREAS, abuse of the elderly is a growing problem in American society that must be addressed;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this state, hereby create the Governor's Commission on Prevention of Family Violence and order and direct:

1. The Commission shall:

- Be appointed by, and serve, without compensation, at the pleasure of the Governor.
- Meet at the call of the chair, but no fewer than four times a year.
- Submit a report of its activities to the Governor no later than the first day of November of each year.
- Be divided into two boards, the Policy Board and the Technical Board.

2. The Policy Board shall:

- Have a chair from its membership appointed by the Governor.
- Advise the Governor on policy issues related to all areas of family violence.
- Advise the Governor on proposed legislation and existing laws relating to family violence issues.
- Work with entities throughout the State to ensure community-planning efforts are coordinated.
- Work with entities throughout the State to raise awareness around the issues of family violence.
- Consist of no fewer than nine and no more than seventeen members, one of whom shall be the Director of the Governor's Office for Prevention of Family Violence. The members will represent a cross-section of Arizonans providing ethnic, geographic, gender, age, and professional diversity.
- Consist of members who have an interest and expertise in the areas of family violence but whose livelihood will not be directly impacted by the recommendations made by the Commission. Members of the Policy Board shall be active participants on at least one Commission committee.
- Be the entity that approves and forwards all Commission recommendations to the Governor.

3. The Technical Board shall:

- Have a chair or co-chairs appointed by the chair of Policy Board. Committee chairs shall be appointed by the chair or co-chairs of the Technical Board from the membership of the Technical Board.
- Membership of Commission committees may extend to interested members of the community who are not Commission members. The committee membership shall be determined by the committee chairs.
- Through the committees, develop recommendations on policy and legislative issues related to family violence. The committees shall make recommendations to the Technical Board, which will accept, modify or reject those recommendations and then pass them to the Policy Board as appropriate.

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- Consist of no fewer than fifteen and no more than twenty-three members. The members will represent a cross-section of Arizonans providing ethnic, geographic, gender, age, and professional diversity.
 - The members of the Technical Board shall be experts in areas of family violence whose livelihood may be impacted by the decisions of the commission. They shall be expected to recuse themselves from discussions and decisions in areas where there may be the appearance of a conflict of interest.
4. This Commission supersedes the Governor's Commission on Violence Against Women and assumes all responsibilities and roles previously held by the Governor's Commission on Violence Against Women.
 5. Unless continued by Executive Order, this Commission shall terminate December 31, 2006.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull
Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this Twentieth Day of March Two Thousand One and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth.

ATTEST:

Betsey Bayless
Secretary of State